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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 2881  
PATENT**

Attorney Docket No. 08049.0952-01000

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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John H. BRIDGES, III, et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2881
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Application No.: 10/684,635	)	Examiner: James J. Leybourne
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Filed: October 14, 2003	)	Confirmation No.: 3706
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed August 7, 2006, the period for response having been extended to April 7, 2007, by a Petition for Extension of Three Months and a Notice of Appeal filed on February 6, 2007, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.